BC-126 June 1975

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

No. 5076

Date first licensed December 18, 1978

Call letters WNPC

Station location Newport, Tennessee

MILLARD V. OAKLEY and W.N.P.C. INCORPORATED dba NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY A PARTNERSHIP(AL 3-20-81, EFF:

\* MILLARD V. OAKLEY tr/as NEWPORT EROADCASTING COMPANY (MP 9-27-78)
Name of licensee MILLARD V. OAKLEY

Newport, Tennessee BP 4-26-78

Transmitter location 1.3 miles North of Court House at Williams Drive and Wells St./

Midtown Shopping Center, 1 mi. W. of courthouse, Newport, Tenn MP9-27-78

## CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

CONSTRUCTION TERMIT AND ENCERNEE RELECTED									
Appl.   Date				Time	Period				
No.	Issued	Freq.	Power	Div.	From To				
BP-19,855	CP for a	1060khz new stat	ion.	Day	6-26-79				
(1)	H 9-27-78								
BL-780829 <i>i</i>	I(L) 12-1			ver BP-196 khz 1kw Da	55 for New y(RC) 8-1-82				
BL-780829.	AI(L) 12-1	8-78 Sup	erseded	to correct	exp. date 8-1-79				
BAL801208	ET 3-20-81	,	VOL AL	. EFF:					

Form BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

September 1959 MILLARD V. OAKLEY

Call Letters N P C NEW

\* Edward M. Johnson and Millard V. Oakley d/b as NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name

NEWPORT, TENNESSEE (c/o Edward Johnson, P.O. Box 591, Crossville, Tenn. 38555)

			Action		
File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date	
BP_ 19,855	8-16-74	Construction permit for a new standard	RETURNED	-10-30-7 <b>L</b> -	
Rec'd	8-19-74	broadcast station on:	re Sects-		
Filed		Frequency - 1060khz		rice provided -	
\$100-338427	8-19-74	Power - 1kw		ED 12-11-74	
AC-017		Hours - Daytime 20-V3	N-SU DELL CI	ED 12-11-74	
PN filed	9-24-74	Transmitter - Collins, 20VA	GRAN	TED TO	
PRESS:	19 Al.	Main studio and transmitter site - 0.85 miles	APR	2 6 1978	
Ph Hi led	10-21-74	N.E. of Court House, Newport 83 Tennessee.	Min.		
		Coordinates - 350-58' 29" 830-091-53"			
		Req: Waiver of Sec. 73.37 (e) of Rules			
		Atty			
Amonded to		Eng. Archie Kendrick (Tenn.)			
	1754 re:	I, II, III, IV-A & VI.	_		
		coor, type transmitter.			
Amended re:	response que	s. 19, Sec. II			
Amended 9-29	75 re other	es. 19, Sec. II business interest nt of Interest of Mr. Edward M. Johnson, Financia over F.C.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.	al statemen	t	
Allerided 9-24	I'S IC. BASE	OVET F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.			
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Amended 11-3-75 reother business interest, FM appli. filed in Kingston, Tenn.
Amended 11-29-75 re: advise Commission of assignment of WHAL & WHAL-FM
PETITION TO DENY filed 11-25-75 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK, INCORPORATED
Amended 12-4-75 re Sect. II

Amended 12-4-75 re additional information

PETITION FORADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 12-10-75 by Malyck & Bernton on behalf of Newport Broadcasting Company PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-14-76 by Theodore Mallyck on behalf of Millard V. Oakley and Edward M. Johnson dba Newport B/C Co.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-23-76 by Theodore Mallyck on behalf of Newport B/C Co. applicant

Amended 1-23-76 re supplemental Sect II data and engineering

SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-27-76 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK Incorporated REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-30-76 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WEIK, INC. OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 2-9-76 by Mallyck and Bernton on behalf of applicant

REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 2-20-70 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK, Incorporated

COMMENTS OF WLIK, INCORPORATED filed 2-23-76 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK, INCORPORATED Amended 3-31-76 re supplement to Section III data

Amended 4-15-76 re supplemental section II, III, IV=A and V-a and VI data MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE ADDITIONAL PLEADING filed 6-23-76 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK, INCORPORATED

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING Form BC-121 > CARD 2 September 1969 Call MILLARD V. OAKLEY \*EDWARD M. JOHNSON AND MILLARD V. OAKLEY DBA NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY Name NEWPORT, TENNESSEE Action Date Nature Application for File No. Dated BP-19-855 SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 6-23-76 by Eugene Smith on behalf of WLIK, INCORPORATED OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 7-6-76 by Theodore Mallyck for Newport Amended 10-18-76 re: Sec. 11, chg. name to individual appli. financinal info. Amended 11-19-76 re: Supplement Sec. IV-A data Amend P & F 11-16-76 re: ltr. concerning Millard V. Oakley individual applicant SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 1-21-77 by Eugene T. Smith on behalf of WLIK INC. PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 2-1-77 by Mallyck & Bernton on behalf of applicant. PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 2-18-77 by E. Theordore Mallyck on behalf of applicant. PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION TO SUPPLEMENT TO PETITION TO DENY filed 3-17-77 by E. Theodore Mallyck on behalf of applicant

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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MILLARD V. OAKLEY tr/as NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY Name Newport, Tennessee Action File No. Dated Application for Nature Date MP (BP-19,855) to chg. SL to: 1 mi. W. of BMP-780804AH PRESS: Courthouse in Midtown Shopping Center, New-GRAN TEIL 9-27-78 port, Tennessee & operate transmitter by \$EP 2 1 1978 Remote control from the proposed studio site. & add trade name. BL-780829AI 12-18-78 GRANTED Lic. to cover BP-19855 for NEW STANDARD 8-29-78 BROADCAST STATION 9-6-78 PRESS RENEWAL OF LICENSE BR 790420 UA GRATNED 8-15-79 PRESSAPR 2 6 1979 F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

Call Letters: WNPC

MILLARD V. OAKLEY and W.N.P.C. INCORPORATED dba NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY A
Name XMILLARD V. OAKLEY tr/as NEWPORT BROADCASTING COMPANY
PARTMERSHIP

Station Location: Newport, Tennessee

## **About the History Cards ...**

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

